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Letter dated 26 December 2002 from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) to the President of the Council

I have the honour to transmit herewith a letter dated 19 December 2002 from the Chairman of the Monitoring Group established pursuant to Security Council resolution 1363 (2001) and extended by resolution 1390 (2002) to the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) (see annex). I should be grateful if the present letter and its annex could be brought to the attention of the members of the Council and issued as a document of the Council.

(*Signed*) Alfonso **Valdivieso**
Chairman
Security Council Committee established
pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999)

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Annex

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On behalf of the Monitoring Group established pursuant to Security Council resolution 1363 (2001) and extended by resolution 1390 (2002), I wish to make a request concerning annex IV of the Group's second report (S/2002/1050).

Upon further review, the Monitoring Group now considers that certain elements in annex IV of that report might be subject to misinterpretation. In order to avoid further misunderstanding, the Group requests that this annex no longer be regarded as included in the report. The Group also recommends that the annex concerned be deleted from the version of the report that is posted on the United Nations web site.

(*Signed*) Michael **Chandler**
Chairman
Monitoring Group established pursuant to resolution 1363 (2001)
and extended by resolution 1390 (2002)